

Council Proceedings.

COLUMBIA, March 23, 1865.

A regular meeting of Council was held this 23rd day of March, 1865. Present—His Honor the Mayor; Assistant Mayor J. G. Gibbs; Aldermen Blakely, Glaze, Guignard, Harris, Hope, Leaphart, McKenzie, Stork and Walls. The Council being called to order, proceeded to business.

Mr. R. McDougall appeared before Council on a charge of cutting down a shade tree before his dwelling. Defence offered, ignorance of the ordinance on that subject. On motion, he was excused in this instance; but this not to act as a precedent in any similar case.

A resolution was adopted to publish the ordinance concerning shade trees.

The following resolution was offered and adopted:

Resolved, That where it appears evident to the city authorities that any tree or trees planted on the streets of the city have become dead by being burned, that permission be granted to the owners of the lot or lots whereon they may be opposite, to cut down such trees for their use, on an obligation from such parties that they will replace all trees cut down, by planting others, as soon as practicable; permission to be granted by Alderman Glaze, Chairman of Committee on Sidney Park.

Mrs. Montieth applied for information relative to the re-opening of her school. Referred to Committee on Public Schools.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That an election will be held at the next regular meeting of Council, to be held on Tuesday, the 4th of April, for a City Clerk. Applicants will hand their letters of application to the Mayor before the day of election, naming sureties.

Resolved, That a special agent, selected by his Honor the Mayor, be appointed, to proceed forthwith to Charlotte, N. C., for the purpose of bringing the books, papers, &c., belonging to the city. To carry out the resolution, the Mayor is hereby directed to place at the disposal of said agent a horse and wagon.

On motion, the ferry over Congaree River was turned over to the charge of J. S. Guignard, Esq.

On motion, a committee of three, consisting of Aldermen Leaphart, Hope and Stork, was appointed to make similar arrangements in regard to the ferry over Broad River.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That Assistant Mayor J. G. Gibbs be appointed for the purpose of making application to the Legislature for right of way to both ferries.

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to advise with the Governor with reference to getting transportation for the supplies accumulated along the line of the Greenville Railroad, and that every effort be made

to get the aid of Government wagons for that purpose. Committee to consist of Assistant Mayor J. G. Gibbs, Aldermen Wells and Hope. No further business. Council adjourned.
P. B. GLASS, City Clerk.

Hoop Skirts.

SOME HOOP SKIRTS are for sale at A. TRAGER'S, end of Richardson street, close to Frazee's new buildings. march 28 2*

Cottage Wanted.

WANTED to purchase, a modest COTTAGE, suitable for a small family, in a pleasant part of the city. Apply at this office.

School Notice.

MRS. SELBY will resume the exercises of her SCHOOL on MONDAY, 2d April.

Writing Ink.

A FEW bottles of uncorrosive WRITING INK, for sale at this office. march 23

Brass Foundry.

THE subscriber, thankful for past patronage, would inform his friends and the public that he is still prepared to furnish all kinds of BRASS CASTING in a workmanlike manner and with despatch. ROBT McDUGALL, march 28 12* Gadsden near Washingtonst.

School Notice.

MISS MARY E. BURROUGHS will open a SCHOOL for boys and girls under fourteen, on the FIRST MONDAY in April next, at the President's house, in the College Campus. The number of pupils not to exceed twenty. march 24 3*

Taken after the Fire.

PROBABLY by mistake, a PLAID CASSIMERE SUIT. Part of it was seen at the Catholic Church; the rest in a bundle at the Methodist College. Any one having it in their possession will be rewarded, if required, by leaving it at this office. march 28

Stolen.

FROM a wagon on the edge of the city, the day the enemy entered Columbia, among other things a WORK BOX, containing a small paper box, filled with locks of hair and a small Testament. If any one has such a box in their possession, they will confer a favor by leaving it at this office. march 28

Caution.

ALL CHECKS drawn by the subscriber on the Commercial Bank of this city since 1st January last, have been paid by me, but said checks were stolen during the time the enemy were here, together with \$42,400, principally in large bills. This is intended to warn the public about taking said checks, as they were not marked paid; the bank not receiving deposits, I had a small box there with the money in it, and the checks deposited in it, and burned down. RICHARD O'NEAL

—march 28

Left my Premises.

ON the 25th inst., my negro boy EPHRAIM, Adack completed, about six feet high. I forbid all persons from harboring or hiring him. A reward of \$200 will be paid for his delivery to me, dead or alive. WM. MCALISTER.

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Pictorial and Gift Books.

A SMALL collection of PICTORIAL and GIFT BOOKS, beautifully illustrated, suitable as mementoes of friendship and affection and as rewards of merit and excellence in academies, including the writings of some of the most famous poets. Apply at this office.

Headquarters,

DETACHMT BUTLER'S CAVALRY BRIGADE, CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 23, 1865.

CIRCULAR.

ALL absentees from Butler's Cavalry Brigade are hereby required to report to me at Chesterville, S. C., or to Capt. McIVER, at Cheraw, S. C., without delay. To such as report promptly, the clemency offered in the recent order from Gen. Lee will be extended. Those who do not avail themselves of this last opportunity may expect the extremest penalty of the military law. This order to remain in force for twenty days from this date. By order B. H. RUTLEDGE,

march 28 Col. Comm'dg Detachment.

Headquarters Mil. Div. of the West,

AUGUSTA, MARCH 4, 1865.

SPECIAL FIELD ORDERS NO. 13.

[Extract.]

I. COL. A. F. RUDLER is hereby assigned as Commandant of the Post at Columbia, S. C.

By command Gen. BEAUREGARD.
Official: GEO. W. BRENT, Col. and A. A. G.

HEADQUARTERS, COLUMBIA, S. C.,

March 15, 1865.

GENERAL ORDERS NO. 1.

In obedience to the above order, I hereby assume command of this Post.

By order of A. F. RUDLER,
Colonel Commanding.
W. J. MEALING, A. A. G. march 21

Headquarters,

COLUMBIA, S. C., MARCH 20, 1865.

SPECIAL ORDER NO. —

I. ALL officers and men now in the city who are unattached, will report to these headquarters for organization as a guard for post duty.

II. Detailed men who are unassigned are required to report at these headquarters for assignment to duty without delay.

III. The police and citizens generally are requested to aid in the arrest of absentees and deserters. By order of A. F. RUDLER,

Colonel Commanding.
W. J. MEALING, A. A. G. march 21